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INSTALLATION FOR MANUFACTURING WOUND RIGID TUBULAR

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.312

Sir:

Subsequent to the Notice of Allowance in the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

FEE CALCULATION

Any additional fee required has been calculated as follows:

_ If checked, "Small Entity" status is claimed.

NO. CLAIMS

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ADDIT. **PREVIOUSLY** AFTER FEE PAID FOR **AMENDMENT** (\$26 SE or \$52) **MINUS** TOTAL \$0 (\$110 SE or \$220) **MINUS** (\$195 SE or \$390) FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM

* not less than 20 ** not less than 3

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SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS

- 1. ____ If checked, an abstract (an amended abstract) is submitted herewith.
- 2. ___ If checked, amendment(s) to the drawings are submitted herewith.
- 3. $\sqrt{}$ If checked, amendment(s) to the specification are submitted herewith.
- 4. ___ If checked, amendment(s) to the claims are submitted herewith.